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WAR NEWS.

On Tuesday morning President Lincoln, Gen. Grant, Gen. Sheridan, and other officers. had a consultation on board the River Queen. No fighting has taken place at the front since Saturday, but heavy picket firing and occasional cannonading has occurred on the left. This firing subsided on Tuesday morning, and when the mail boat left City Point, at 10 o'clock, not a single gun was heard there. The Confederates keep up a bold front, and are very watchtul, evidently anticipating a movement on the part of Grant.

The losses in the 9th corps of the Federal army are much larger than heretofore reported. The first division have in hospital 160 wounded, and 30 are known to have been In the third division hospital killed. there were 166 wounded, and about 32 were killed. The second division were not engaged, but in the hospital they have 130 Confederate wounded.

The dead in the engagement of Saturday have been buried, and the bodies of a number of officers have been forwarded to City Point for transportation North.

A general order has been issued to the Army on the James, congratulating the troops on the result of the battle of the 25th, and mentioning the different corps engaged. This order says :- "The result of the day was the thorough defeat of the enemy's plans, the capture of his strongly entrenched picket line, under the artillery fire of his main works, and the capture of ten battle flags and about 2,800 prisoners."

Ten thousand of Wilson's cavalry were at Chickasaw, Ala, on the 21st, supposed to be en route to cut off any retreat of the Confederates from Mobile.

A Newbern letter of the 25th states that Gen. Sherman had gone to Fortress Monroe.

The Richmond Whig of the 27th inst. says: "Military matters beyond the Mississippi river are entirely at a stand still. Our forces hold the lower portion of Arkausas, along the Washita river, and command the greater portion of the line of the Red river."

Advices from Arizona to February 15, announce that the expedition under Lieutenant Barr had attacked a camp of hostile Indians and killed nineteen warriors. The Apaches continue to steal and kill horses, mules, and cattle.

Foreign News. - The steamships Damasons and Asia bring Liverpool dates to the 18th inst. An English paper denies that the South proposed an alliance with the Northern States of America for a foreign war. Satterthwaite's circular of the 15th says, the new U.S. loan of six hundred millions caused the five twenties bonds to decline from 55 to 523, and that the continental markets appearing fully supplied, the recent shipments have not found ready buyers, even at reduced quotations. -The cotton sales of the week were 75,000 bales, with an advance of 2a4d for American, and 1d for other descriptions. Breadstuffs quiet. Corn firm. President Lincoln's inaugural is generally regarded as satisfactory. A French paper says, President Lincoln is about to recognize the Mexican monarchy.

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